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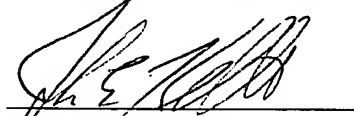
Paper No. 10

In re Application of	:	
William F. McNally et al	:	<i>SUA SPONTE</i>
Serial No. : 09/754,815	:	RESCISION OF
Filed : January 4, 2001	:	NOTICE OF
For : Method for Enhancing Insulation Materials	:	ABANDONMENT

A review of the application reveals that an Office action was mailed to the applicant on January 29, 2002. On August 26, 2002, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed indicating that the application was being abandoned for failure to file a response to the Office action mailed January 29, 2002. The abandonment of the application was premature given the fact that applicant had filed a response on August 5, 2002. The response included a request for a three-month extension of time and a certificate of mailing dated July 29, 2002.

In view of these facts, the abandonment was clearly premature and is hereby rescinded. The application will be forwarded to the Examiner via the Legal Instruments Examiner for entry and consideration of the response filed August 5, 2002.

Summary: Holding of Abandonment Rescinded.



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